

On page 4, before line 1, insert the following heading:

--BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS--

On page 4, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following heading:

--DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS--

On page 5, in line 36, delete "the or".

On page 5, in line 36, delete "comprises" and insert therefor --engages--.

On page 6, in line 23, delete "the or each point" and insert therefor --one or more points--.

On page 12, delete the heading "Borehole opener".

On page 12, in line 25, delete "Figure 1.".

**In the Claims**

Please amend Claims 1-10 as follows:

1. (Amended) A [borehole] hole opener, particularly for enlarging [this hole] the borehole underneath a casing [in the field of oil prospecting], comprising:

- a body (2) of longitudinal axis (3),
- a duct (4) for drilling fluid, formed longitudinally in the body (2), and
- at least two hole-opening arms (5), each arm having
  - [which have] an active part (7) equipped with cutting means (8),
  - [which are] distributed symmetrically in the body (2) about the longitudinal axis (3), and
  - [which are] said hole-opening arms arranged [therein] in such body in a way that [they] said arms can be moved between a position of rest (9) in the body (2) and an active position (10) partially out of the body (2), and